

British Seize Offensive

Our Daily Bread

By NEA Commentator
WILLIS THORNTON

Even War Is Not World's End
Savings Bonds and Savings

In a fast triple play, allow us to pass on to you a series of most interesting quotations assembled by President Marsh of Boston University, reproduced by James Truslow Adams in "Barron's," and now here set down once again. They're worth it.

Wilberforce, 1801—"I dare not marry—the future is so unsettled."

Pitt, 1806—"There is scarcely anything around us but ruin and despair."

Lord Shaftesbury, 1848—"Nothing can save the British Empire from shipwreck."

Disraeli, 1843—"In industry, commerce, and agriculture there is no hope."

Wellington, 1852—"I thank God I shall be spared from seeing the consummation of the ruin that is gathering about us."

Yet the world did not end because over a period of half a century these gentlemen saw only ruin and hopelessness. It is not going to end now, in spite of nearly universal war, in spite of death, debt and destruction. Man is a durable institution. His powers of survival have been sorely tested before, and he always emerged from the most gruesome ordeals, loving and living as before. So he will do again.

In a time when everything seems changing, are there no things which do not change? Of course there are. The love of men and women, the steady, consoling warmth of friendship, the driving power of ambition, the desire for the beautiful, the deed of kindness, the unselfish urge, the desire for knowledge. The aspiration to see and to serve God.

He would be a foolish optimist indeed who can look complacently on the world today that should have been so beautiful, and which men have made so ugly. But he would be not only cowardly but shortsighted who would look upon it and say, "We can never do any better."

"The world to come will be what we make it and what we give our children an opportunity to make it. Our immediate task today happens to be the attainment of victory in a war which has come to us despite long and intense efforts to avoid it."

That is only the chapter in which we are now reading. The coming chapter need not be like the blotted and smudged pages of the past. It can be clean and fine. In the midst of today's troubles we must remember that, for it is only if we forget it that we prejudice its eventual realization.

The thought behind defense bonds was broader than merely to provide money for conducting the war. It was also that by channeling some of people's excess income away from the consumer markets and into savings to be spent not now but later, competition for reduced stocks of goods would be lessened, and a tendency toward inflation minimized.

Now it develops that many of the bonds are being bought with money already saved in bank accounts or with other forms of savings. Of course that means a mere transfer from one form of savings to another, and defeats part of the purpose of the plan. One who buys war bonds out of savings, and goes on spending all of his augmented income on consumer goods is not really contributing as much to the national welfare as one who leaves his former savings where they were, and buys bonds out of new savings brought about by spending less of his weekly or monthly income.

Make your savings a part of your regular budget and shape the budget accordingly.

European Drive Is Britain's Main Objective

Commons Told Big Task Is to Striking Force

LONDON—(AP)—The British army's main task is to organize a continental offensive, said Sir Archibald Sinclair, as the House of Commons Thursday in opening the debate of the adequacy of Britain's airfields defense against invasion from the British Isles.

He said that the RAF's new airbase defense would be second to none.

Sinclair, as a government spokesman in the debate said that the army's chief job now was to organize "the greatest possible striking force for an offensive operation on the (European) continent."

Sinclair gave no indication whether a British continent invasion was imminent. London newspapers and critics have been clamoring for action for some time.

All Dressed Up for War Work

Women of America Are Signing Up With Red Cross

By DOROTHY ROE
AP Fashion Editor

Sister Susie, who used to sew skirts for soldiers back in the first World War is stepping out in her own uniform today, along with Brother Bill. Uncle Sam's pieces are enlisted with the American Red Cross, the Office of Civilian Defense and the American Women's Voluntary Service, offering their time and their talents to aid their country's defense.

Manufacturers are rushing orders on uniforms of all kinds as young women put aside frills and furbelows in favor of utilitarian garments of soldier blue.

Officially approved uniforms of the OGD are distributed through the nation's retail stores. Red Cross and AWVS members must order their uniforms through their local chapters.

One thing the new civilian uniforms have in common—all are blue. Prices range from \$3.50 for the OGD canteen worker's uniform to \$40 for the Red Cross Motor Corps uniforms. These are for ready-made outfits. Custom-made uniforms run as high as \$135.

We may soon be a nation of women in uniform—and from where we sit, the uniforms look both practical and becoming.

Patriotic Program at Lonoke Baptist Church

A patriotic program will be held at the Lonoke negro Baptist church on Friday night with proceeds going to benefit the Hempstead Red Cross drive. Special singing program has been prepared by the choir. A section has been reserved for white visitors.

Louis J. Taber, recently retired Master of the National Grange, once made eighteen 12-minute addresses in one day.

Cotton

By the Associated Press

| NEW ORLEANS | Close |
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| March | 18.82 |
| May | 18.98 |
| July | 19.11 |
| October | 19.32 |
| December | 19.37 |
| NEW YORK | Close |
| March | 18.75 |
| May | 18.71 |
| July | 18.93 |
| October | 19.16 |
| December | 19.19 |
| January | 19.20 |
| Middling spot | 20.25 |

\$5,500 Grant to Hope Schools by Government

Money to Be Used for Maintenance, Operation of District 1-A

The Federal Works Administration announced late Wednesday presidential approval of additional defense public works projects necessary to the war effort. The approved projects included a grant of \$5,500 to the Hope school district 1-A for maintenance and operation.

The Star was notified of the grant late Wednesday afternoon in a telegram from Congressman Owen Harris. The local school district has an application in for funds to construct a new building here. For maintenance and operation of this building the district asked a several thousand dollar grant. To date the application for the new projects apparently have not been approved.

Congressman Harris' telegram follows: "Senator Lloyd Spencer and I are glad to advise you that the President has approved an allotment of \$5,500 for the maintenance of Hope School District. We are notifying Miss Beryl Henry, as sponsor, to negotiate the payment with Administrator of Federal Works Agency. Owen Harris, M. C."

Congressman Harris announced previously this week that the Blevins School District had received a similar grant of \$1,250 for its system, bringing to two the number of Hempstead schools receiving grants.

Top-Notch Cage Game Thursday

Ouachita Tigers to Play Group of Hope All-Stars

ARKADELPHIA—Hope basketball fans will have an opportunity to see last year's state collegiate champions in action Thursday night when the Ouachita College quintet meets the Hope All-Stars in a game in the Hope High school gymnasium.

Scheduled to start the game for Ouachita is the same team which figured so prominently in state college games last year—a team which won fourteen games in a row and marched straight through the annual college tournament to claim the state title.

The starters are: Orville Roberts, Harrison and Doc Nichols, Warren, forwards; Alvin (Pop) Williams, Little Rock, center; and Johnny Furquerson, El Dorado, and sterling Williams, North Little Rock, guards.

A number of outstanding freshmen and several veteran reserves are expected to see action also.

Coach W. W. Bradshaw's charges are off to a good start again this year and are favored to win the 1942 championship. They have not been defeated in the state, although they dropped games to three powerful college quintets in Texas in a pre-season foray. They held victories over Hendrix and Henderson State Teachers and over several independent teams.

N. L. R. He'll Friday

In two games here Wednesday night Patmos defeated the Hope seniors 30 to 26 while the local juniors whipped Patmos juniors 12 to 8.

McCullough, star Hope center, did not play. Rogers was high point in the senior game with 12 followed by Maytno of Patmos with 11. In the junior contest Thomas of Hope scored 8 of his team's 12 points.

The bobcats will play the strong North Little Rock Wildcats in a conference contest here Friday night. Probable lineup includes Hope; Green and Jordan, forwards; McCullough, centers; Sims and Rogers, guards. North Little Rock; Selenbeck and Howard, forwards; Matthews center and Young and Bauman, guards.

Bill Brasher announced that the Bobcat Basketball court had been worked over and was in excellent shape. Seating arrangements also have been improved and will take care of a larger crowd.

Naval Supply Bill to House

Maritime Shipbuilding Plan Amounts to 2 Billions

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A \$2,096,138,875 supply bill for independent agencies of the government in the next fiscal year carrying \$984,410,800 for the shipbuilding program of the Maritime Commission went to the House Thursday in its appropriation committee.

The total was about 5 million dollars less than President Roosevelt's budget recommendation but the committee said that subsequent supplemental funds probably would offset that apparent reduction.

U. S. Fortifies Hawaii West Pacific Coast

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A government official reported Thursday that since Pearl Harbor attack the army had been able to fortify Hawaii and the Pacific coast more formidable than ever before while starting a stream of reinforcements to the southwestern Pacific.

What constituted this stream in the terms of men and materials was not disclosed.

Russian Troops Still Advance in Severe Cold

Go 12 Miles Beyond Mozhaik; Axis Counter Attack in Libya

MOSCOW—(AP)—Russian snow troops advancing on propeller driven sleds were reported late Thursday to have huffed Adolf Hitler's retreating armies beyond Borodina, 12 miles west of Mozhaik amid the bitterest cold of the Soviet winter so far.

Racing over the deep snow the Red army forces were slashing fiercely at the flanks of the Nazi withdrawal toward Vyazma where the Germans are expected to attempt their next stand against the Russian counter offensive.

The Germans were said to be seeking cover from the Russians as well as the bitterest week of Russian winter so far.

While the Red army artillerymen blasted in the rear of the German army, reeling back from Mozhaik, dispatches from the northern and southern wings of the 2,000 mile front told of continuing forward surges of the Russian offensive.

Southeast of Leningrad the Germans were said to have been ejected from 27 villages in a single day.

On the southwestern front, that is before Kharkov the Russians acknowledged that the foe had counter attacked in some sectors but that these thrusts were bent back and the Red army rolled on.

Anti-Axis Front Finally Assured

Argentina, Chile Join 19 Oother Republics

RIO DE JANEIRO—(AP)—Argentina and Chile swung into line with the 19 other American republics Wednesday night in a declaration of intention to sever diplomatic relations with the Axis.

Argentina, considered from the very start of the current conference of foreign ministers as the most likely obstacle to unanimity behind such a declaration, accepted the compromise plan without reservation.

The wording of the all-important agreement, however, indicated that Argentina's acceptance nevertheless would have to be ratified by the Argentine congress.

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Is it bad taste when attending a public performance to make remarks for the benefit of those around you?
2. Is it rude to start putting on your wraps during the last number at a concert?
3. Is it rude to make comments intended to be overheard about the size of the hat the woman sitting in front of you in a movie was not considerate enough to remove?
4. When a group of young people attend an older person to chaperone them on a trip should they expect to pay the chaperone's expenses?
5. Which is better, "Pardon me" or "I beg your pardon?"

What would you do if—

(a) You have recently been in an automobile accident and are still nervous when in a car—

(a) Feel that your experience gives you the right to back-seat drive?—

(b) Don't ride with other people if you feel you must back-seat drive?

Answers

1. Yes.
2. Yes.
3. Yes. If you can't see, ask her politely if she would mind taking off her hat.
4. Yes.
5. "I beg your pardon"

Better "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Many Thanks For an Old Coat

NOGALES, Ariz.—(AP)—British appreciation of American assistance was personified in a letter received here from Kathleen Collins, a 14-year-old London girl whose home was leveled by Nazi bombers.

The letter was addressed to Martha Matella, Nogales high school girl, who several months ago inserted a note with her name and address in the sleeve of a coat donated to Bundles for Britain.

Addressed to "My dear Martha" the letter acknowledged receipt of the coat and added: "Most of us Londoners and others who have been bombed out cannot thank the Americans enough for what they have done and are doing for all of us here."

Singing Program at Rocky Mound

There will be a community singing at the Rocky Mound church at 7:30 Sunday night, it was announced. All persons are invited.

Daily Drilling Report of S. Arkansas

By ARK. OIL & GAS COMMISSION

McKeanie (160 acre spacing)
Carter: Haines No. 2, Elev. 297, 5 1/2 inch sec. stuck 7100.
Atlantic: Bodew No. 9, Drig. 8785.
Bodew No. 10, Loc. C-SE Sec. 32, 17-23.

Macedonia (80 acre spacing)
Atlantic: Warnock-Brewer No. 1, Loc. C-S 1/2 SW Sec. 15, 18-21.
McAlester: Snider Unit No. 1, Testing—no gauge Brewer-Warnock No. 1, Drig. 8890.

McHolly (40 acre spacing)
Atlantic: Davis B-1, attempting to



Religious Movie to Show Here

Will Be Shown at Garrett Memorial Saturday Night

A life size moving picture, dealing with the life of the Apostle Paul, is to be shown in the Garrett Memorial Baptist church, on North Ferguson street, Saturday night at 7:30, the Rev. D. C. Silvey, pastor, announced.

The film portrays the life of Paul in dramatic story form, in a modern all talking picture, which will compare favorably with commercial pictures. In the picture we first see Paul as he witnessed the stoning of Stephen, then arresting and imprisoning the saints; he is represented getting authority for the trip to Damascus, then falling under the great light on the trip. His conversation is well portrayed after which some bit of his missionary work is re-enacted. Lydia comes into the picture; also, the fortune telling girl, out of whom he casts the evil spirit, which brings about the whipping and imprisoning of the preachers, and the incidents of the Philippian jail. A thrilling earthquake is shown, with all the sound effects; also, the conversion of the jailor.

The mob scenes are well done; the court scenes are very entertaining, as well as informational and inspirational, as Paul is seen before the different rulers, making his self defense.

This is a picture with a great emotional, as well as intellectual appeal, and suitable for all ages. It was produced in England, by a professional cast, under religious direction. Every Bible student ought to see it. Others will enjoy it.

Preceding the above, a modern scientific temperance talkie will be shown, a film produced by the National W. C. T. U. Also, lessons on safety, with many spills and thrills.

The program is being presented by Rev. J. A. Williams, and Rev. Woodie W. Smith. You are invited. No admission charge.

Emmet Boys, Girls Team Win 2 Games

The Emmet girls basketball pulled one out of the book at Emmet Wednesday night, scored a 31-0 victory over Okoloma while the Emmet senior boys defeated the visitors 34 to 20.

Ruth, Hale and Chambliss were outstanding for Emmet in the girls game while Seals and Arnett played best for the Nevada county boys.

Miss Henry to Talk Over Radio Network

Miss Beryl Henry, superintendent of Hope Public School system will broadcast over a Little Rock radio station Friday afternoon in the interest of the state infantile paralysis drive, it was learned here Thursday. Miss Henry was asked to speak by the state paralysis committee.

Kenesaw Mountain Landis, Baseball Commissioner, Was Named after a Mountain in Georgia where his father was wounded in a Civil War battle.

\$2,224 Donated to Red Cross

Halfway Mark Is Reached in Emergency Drive

Employees of the Temple Cotton Oil company went on record Thursday as donating one hundred per cent to the Hempstead Red Cross emergency campaign, with contributions totaling \$100. The cotton mill employees, 13 white men and forty-three negroes. Employees of the WPA county warehouse went 100 per cent, their contributions totaling \$38.20. Hope Transfer employees also went over the top.

Total contributions deposited so far amounts to \$2,224. The county quota is \$4,000.

Oil company employees follow:

Sam Taylor, N. W. Webster, Alfred Hickey, R. L. Richards, Connie Dugan, U. L. Smith, John Ames, Stafford Hunter, W. E. Lamb, Elmer Brimmage, Mrs. Ruth Smith, Tommie Keeler, J. E. Ward, Temple Cotton Oil co.

Negro

John Coleman, Wyatt Paine, Ed Wilson, Jessie Pigum, Sherman Cole, Charlie Bostic, John Noble, Clements Fuls, Leo Nicholson, Ford Johnson, Joe Duffie, Perry Joshua, Lem Muldrow, John Montgomery.

Fazello Montgomery, Charlie Montgomery, John Henry Bragg, John Turner, Jessie McFadden, Elmer Shaw, Tom Green, Ira Isley, James Deloney, Alvin Ray, Cleo Williams, Berry Steward, Ed Hayden, Charlie Thomas, R. B. Watson, Milton McKinney, Otis Bostic, Arthur Pigum, O. C. Crawford, George Isley, Elisha Pool, Ben Williams, Milton Jones.

Will Poindexter, Oscar Garland, Marcellus Montgomery, John Montgomery, Johnnie Hill.

Hope Students Give Program

FFA, Home Ec Groups Broadcast Over Radio

Wednesday representatives of the Home Economics club and FFA chapter of Hope High School broadcast for 15 minutes over a Texarkana radio station.

Edwin Jackson, FFA club president, acted as master of ceremonies. The first part of the program was turned over to the Home Economics club with President Margaret Campbell introducing members who appeared on the program.

Mary Ross McFadden told how the club has helped improve the Home Economics cottage and the various ways the organization raised money. Various flower arrangement were discussed by Dorothy Henry.

Others to appear on the program were Jimmy Henry, Charles McCorkle, J. C. McCullough, Leon Collier, Carol Hyatt and Howard Sanford.

Abbreviations were commonly used among the ancient writers.

Special FBI agents apprehended more than 2,600 federal fugitives from justice in the last fiscal year.

Cranium Crackers

True or False

There's no doubt that the U. S. Marines are some of the toughest fighters the world has ever seen but not all the following are exactly correct. Answer true or false to these.

1. Sam Browne belts are named after Gen. Sam Browne.
2. Adeste Fidelis is the motto of the U. S. Marine Corps.
3. There are only three full generals in the U. S. Army.
4. The Army titles captain and corporal have derived from the same Latin word.
5. The U. S. Marines have been organized only 66 years.

Answers on Comic Page

Strike at Main Jap Army With Aid of Planes

New Britain Feared Occupied; 200,000 Japs Reported on Luzon

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—A Singapore news broadcast reported here by a CBS listening post said "an American flying fortress scored an outstanding success Thursday off the Dutch East Indies when a 10,000-ton Japanese freighter was bombed and sunk. The total number of Japanese ships sunk since the outbreak of the war was brought to 41.

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SINGAPORE—(AP)—British jungle troops seizing the initiative for the first time in the Malayan campaign were reported slashing at Japan's main armies in a full scale counter offensive 70 miles north of Singapore Thursday while reinforcements of 350-mile per hour Hurricane fighter planes swung into action over Singapore itself.

The newly arrived Hurricane single seaters with the greatest fire-power punch of any plane of its type are equipped with 12 machine guns or four light cannons and machine guns.

Even before the arrival of the heavily gunned Hurricanes was officially announced a resurgence in aerial activity of the defenders was evident.

Five raiding Japanese planes were shot down and a sixth was damaged over Singapore Thursday and British fliers claimed a heavy toll of invasion transport columns behind the lines.

The big land battles for southern Malaya were being fought roughly 70 miles from Singapore, near the east and west coast of Johore.

New Britain Possibly Invaded

MELBOURNE—(AP)—Rabaul, capital of New Britain, reported Thursday that eleven ships including warships had been sighted off the neighboring Wanton Island and immediately following this report communications with Rabaul ceased.

It was presumed here that New Britain Island had been evacuated by military forces in anticipation of a prospective Japanese landing.

If the implications of the Rabaul message are fulfilled the Japanese are in the process of their first invasion of Australian territory.

Before Rabaul flashed the report of the approaching fleet Japanese planes raided the city in a continuation of assault on the island of New Guinea.

200,000 Japs on Luzon

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Japanese renewed their heavy attacks on General Douglas MacArthur's line on Balan Peninsula in the Philippines, the War Department announced Thursday with Japanese forces on the island of Luzon estimated roughly at 200,000 men.

Enemy reinforcements are being landed said a department communication, in Lingayen Gulf, and Subic Bay and the entire Japanese 14th army under General Houghina with a number of other units, is now on Luzon.

Military officials here said a Japanese army contained 8 to 10 divisions of approximately 15,000 men each with attached and supporting units organized in the division.

Hostile air activity in Luzon during the last 24-hours was light the department said but 17 enemy bombers attacking the city of Cebu on the island of the same name about halfway between Luzon and Mindanao, last Sunday.

U. S. Bombers in India

BATAVIA—(AP)—Aneta, Netherland East Indies news agency, said Thursday it was announced officially in Batavia that United States fortress bombers arrived recently in the Netherlands East Indies and are now based in the NEI.

Aneta said it was these planes which sank a Japanese cruiser and set fire to a 10,000-ton tanker on Monday.

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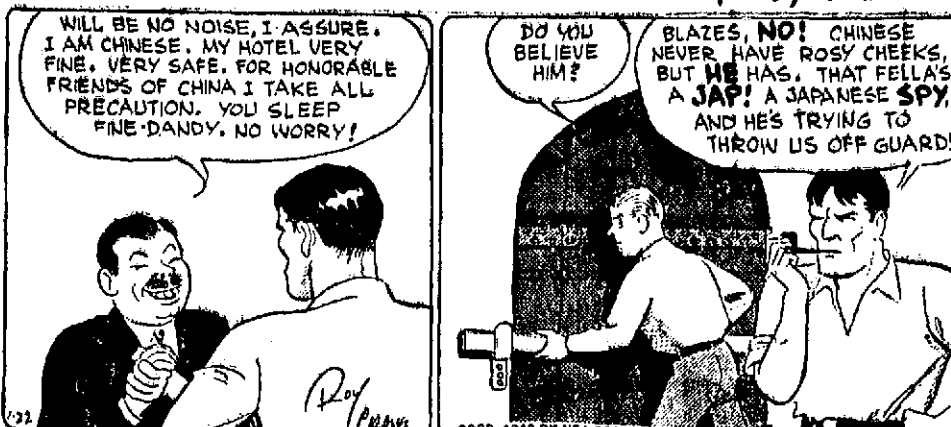
Questions on Page One
1. True. Gen. Samuel James Brown, British officer in the second Afghan war of 1878, originated the belt to hang equipment on after he lost an arm.
2. False. Semper Fidelis (Always Faithful) is the Marine Corps motto.
3. True. U. S. full generals are John J. Pershing, chief of staff George Marshall and Douglas MacArthur (Philippine commander.)
4. True. Captain and corporal are from the Latin "caput," meaning "chief."
5. False. U. S. Marines were organized in 1775, 166 years ago.

In isolated naval stations our Navy normally supplies medical services for the entire population.

WASH TUBBS



A Man to Watch



By Roy Crane

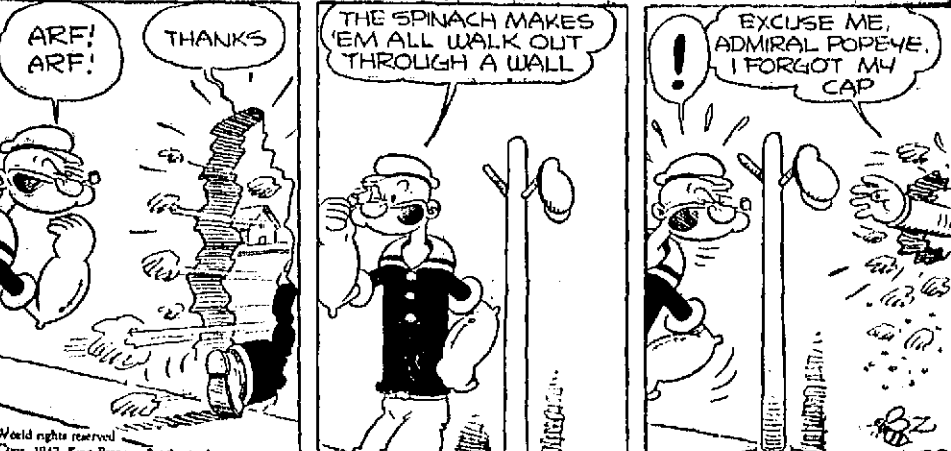
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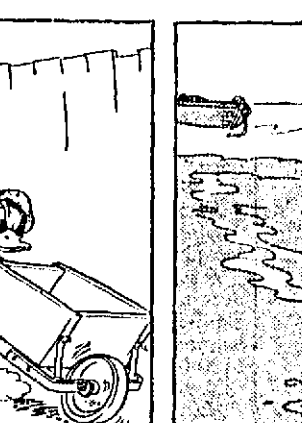
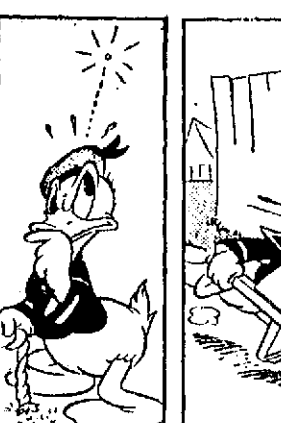
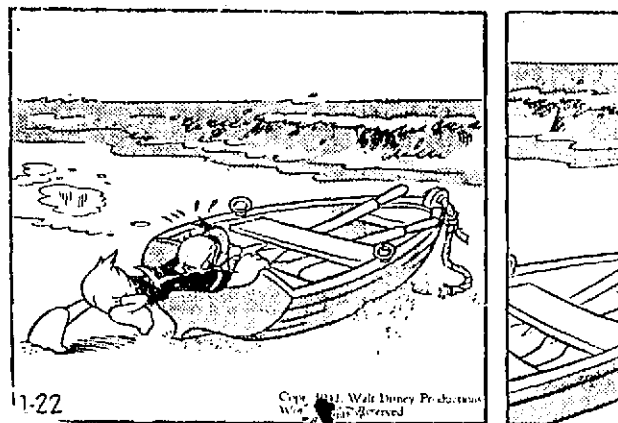
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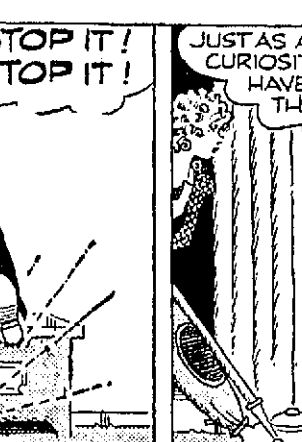
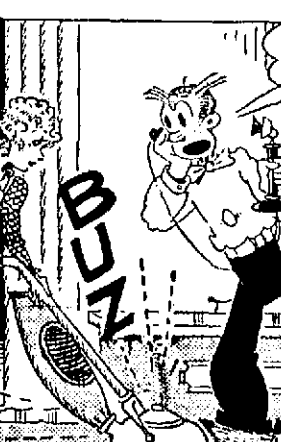
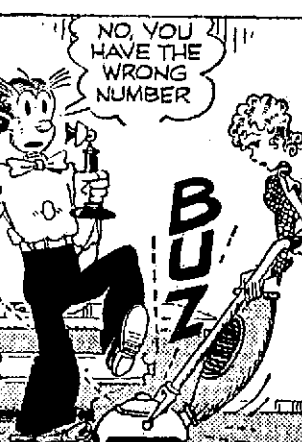
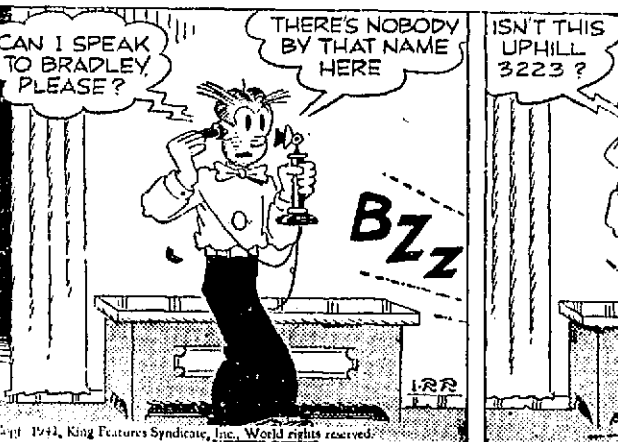


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By Walt Disney

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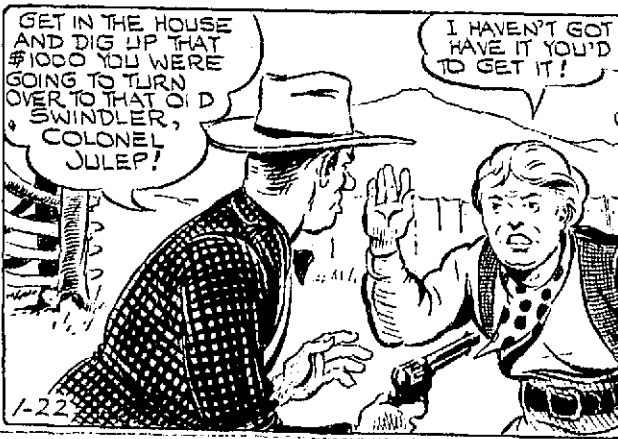
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



By Edgar Martin

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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



In the Modern Manner



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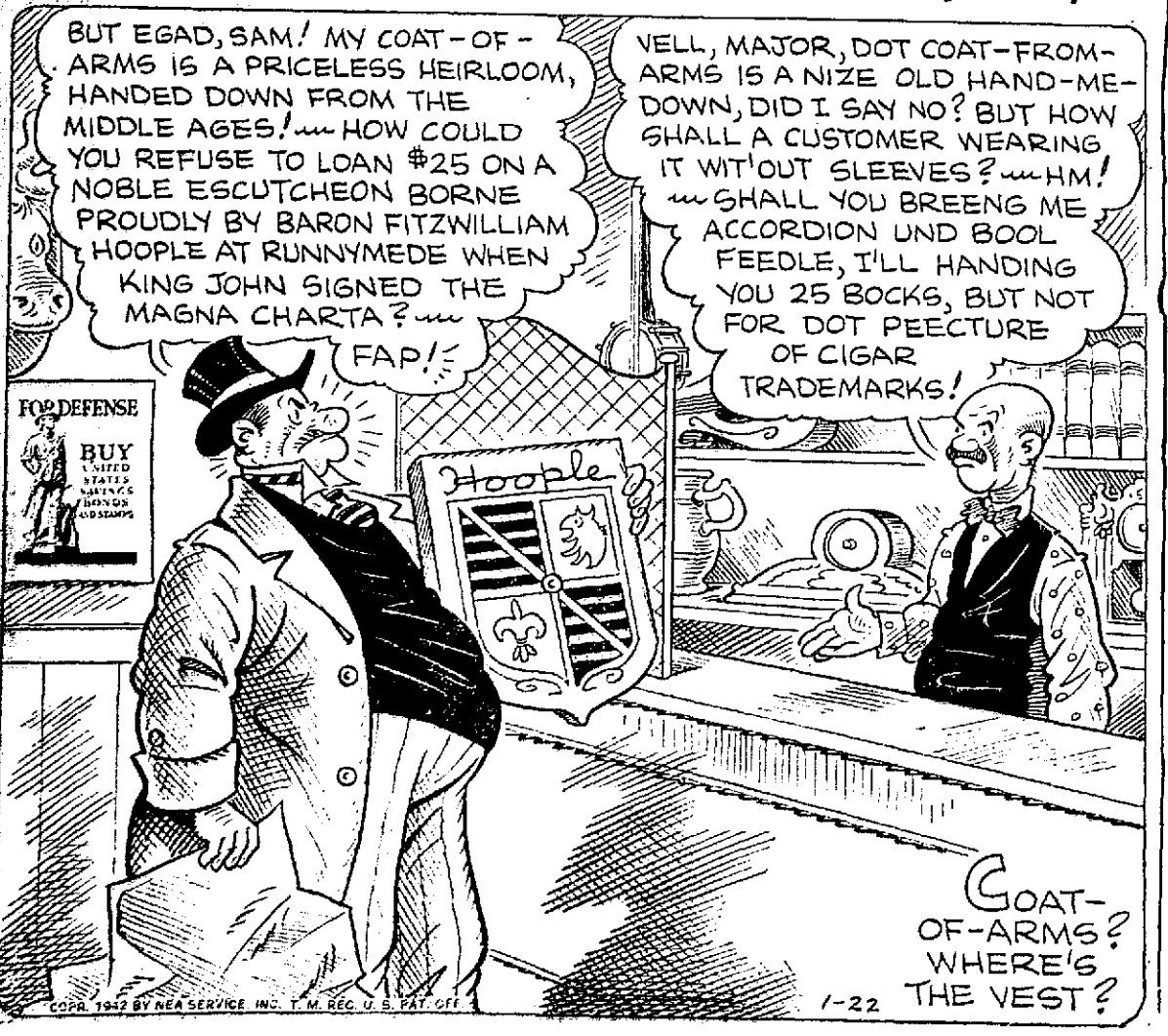


By Merrill Blosser



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A Survey of OCD Activity

Washington Heat- edly Aims Pros, Cons About LaGuardia

By JACK STINNETT
WASHINGTON—Pros and cons concerning the success of the Civilian Defense Program under Director LaGuardia have kept the air circulating heatedly in Washington for weeks.

The woods are full of opinions on whether it is a success. The capital, however, often mistakes a political sideshow for the main attraction. The rumors of LaGuardia's alleged arguments with the President's wife, congressional potshots at the Little Flower and the attendant cracks and counter-cracks have kept Washington thrilled.

That's unimportant. Washington is only one town. This civilian defense program, in this time of war for existence, admittedly should be fully organized and in full blast all over the country.

Is it?

There's one certain way to find out. Check the home town newspapers of America. They mirror completely the activities of the people in each town. If civilian defense in Podunk is progressing the best efforts of the people, you can bet your shirt that the Podunk Clarion is full of the doings of its people in behalf of civilian defense.

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up at night. Frequent urination, backaches, and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, restful sleep.

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The verdict of America's representative newspapers seems to indicate the success of the civilian defense program is spotty. It's a question of geography in some places, a question of failure to "sell" the program to the people in others.

Out on the Pacific Coast, where ships have been sunk in sight of shore and hostile planes have flown over U. S. soil, there's no fooling about civilian defense. It's hot stuff in daily newspapers there. Editors know what their communities want, and those communities which feel the breath of war on their necks out there want columns of dope on how to protect their homes in wartime. The papers are full of it. It's clicking.

In Portland, Ore., they're fully staffed and really working. The people oversubscribed an \$18,000 voluntary contribution budget to implement the program. Seattle papers are full of neighborhood defense meeting announcements.

Switch across the country, and you find industrial Baltimore, a prime target and loaded to the city limits with defense contracts, brushing off civilian defense. Cartoonists suggest the governor and the mayor of Baltimore — his opponent in the last election — are making it a political tug-of-war. Siren tests were a flop. They couldn't recruit within thousands of their required volunteer staff.

The Midwest is pretty generally lukewarm. Papers in Minnesota and Indiana reported test blackouts were "planned," organizations meetings were "scheduled." This is a month after Pearl Harbor, remember.

Editorials in the Midwest were chiefly concerned with what the war would cost the people in comforts, what the budget meant in higher taxes. A Michigan paper carried its only civilian defense item on the society page. You get the idea some club-women think it's an idea that will bear looking into.

Galveston, on the Gulf Coast, really got into harness. Up in Alaska, the papers show the people are talking it seriously. There are isolated instances even in the most complacent areas where civic authorities have kicked the program into high gear, but they're all too few.

There's evidence the OCD general staff hasn't sold the people in the behind-schedule areas. The Red Cross was staging its war drive at the same time I checked the papers. Even in localities where civilian defense was completely absent from local news, the Red Cross was getting space because its people were doing a news-worthy job.

That indicates people in areas remote from war are willing to hit the ball for the war effort, and that something has failed or else they'd be doing the same job for civilian defense.

It seems there's nothing like the proximity of a bombing to stir activity.

Movie Aid Drive to Nab Pickpockets

MEBICO CITY —(AP)—Movie-goers here can look over the pictures of the city's most notorious pickpockets and sneak thieves now while they wait for seats at a super-production.

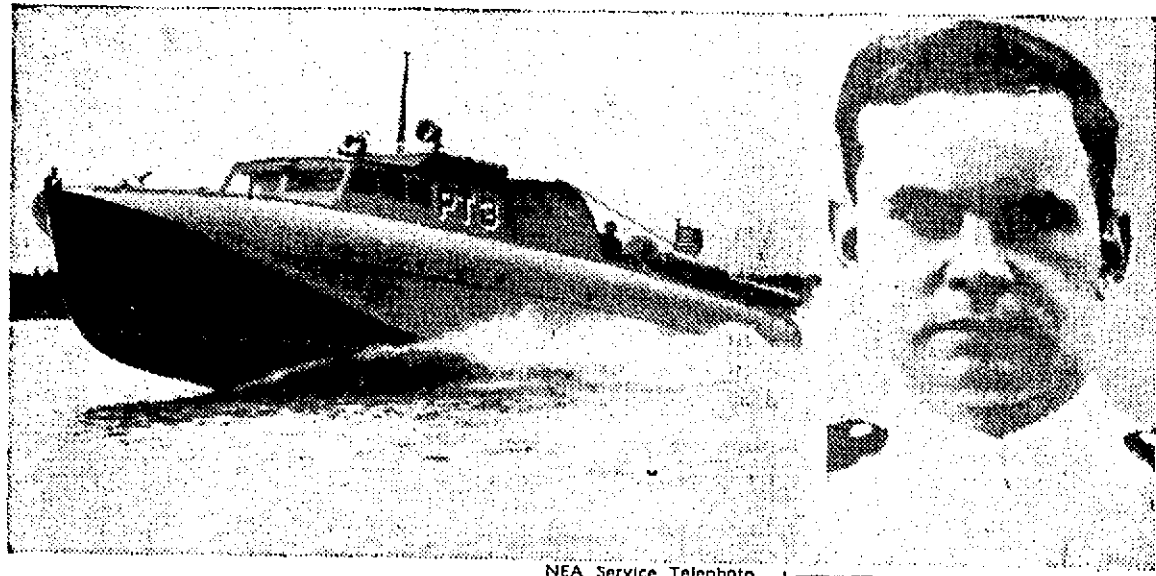
The police force, which posts pictures of a new cast of characters every week in the movie lobbies, put this notice under the photographs: "Possibly this criminal is beside you now. Be careful!"

Fogs are almost constant on the Aleutian Islands.

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Don't blame exhausted, worn-out, run-down feeling on your age. Thousands amazed at what a little pep pill can do. Contains general tonics often needed after 40—by bodies lacking iron, calcium phosphate, Vitamin B. A 75-year-old doctor writes: "I took it myself. Results were fine. Special fatigue disappeared. Old tablets cost only 50c. Stop feeling restless, old. Start feeling pep and vim, this very day. For sale at all good drug stores everywhere — in Hope, at Cox and Gibson Drug."

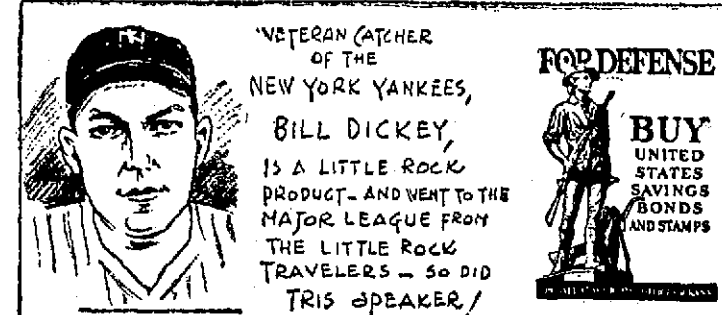
"Mosquito", Navy's Hero, Bites Japs



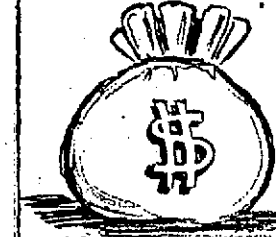
Lt. John Benton Bulkely, right, commander of Motor Torpedo Boat Division 15, whose ship, identical to the one at left, reced into Subic Bay on the Philippine island of Luzon and torpedoes a 5,000-ton Japanese under the fire of three inch shore batteries and machine guns.

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BY BERT NASH



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Japs' Pocket Subs of Mexican Origin?

MEXICO CITY —(AP)—A Mexican banker says the pocket submarines the Japanese used in the attack on Pearl Harbor appear similar to one he invented and turned over to the foreign ministry in 1935.

Gonzalo Sanano Anita, of the Agricultural Credit Bank, said the published descriptions and pictures appear to describe the same machine he invented. He said if they were built from his plans, the plans must have been taken from the Foreign Relations files because he did not discuss them with any foreign government.

Nothing Could Be Fairer Than This

CAMP DAVIS, N. C. —(AP)—Seen anyone with a pay telephone station? Well, you might notify the Camp Davis signal officer who posted this notice:

"Will the person or persons who inadvertently appropriated pay phone from wall of recreation hall for souvenir, please return telephone. Coin box may be kept as a personal memento. Telephone is urgently needed. We have a number of customers waiting for service."

The bamboo tree sometimes grows sixteen inches a day.

Prescott News

By HELEN HESTERLY

Telephone 163

Nevada's Quota of Tires for February
Nevada county's allotment of tires for February will be: Eight tires and 7 tubes for passenger cars, motorcycles, and light trucks. Eighteen tires and 33 tubes for trucks and buses.

February quota for the various counties was announced Tuesday by Robert P. Hall state tire rationing administrator.

Welfare Board Member
Harold C. Parker has been appointed one of the 3 county welfare board members by the State Welfare Board at its monthly meeting Tuesday.

The purpose is Medical Care, as well as hospital services, must be furnished to clients of the State Public Welfare Department by hospitals which share in the department's hospitalization program if medical care is needed.

Rotary Club
The Rotary club has a unique idea for buying defense bonds. Every Tuesday at its meeting slips of paper with numbers one to thirty-three on them are drawn from a hat by members. The numbers on the paper drawn, is paid in cash. The member not present has to take the highest number of 33 and therefore has to pay 33 cents. The money derived from this drawing goes on a defense bond. After the war the money will be used as a school fund.

The club met Tuesday at the Broadway Hotel. Mr. Sam Logan was in charge of the program. He gave a very interesting talk on "Conditions of the time Now and During 'The Last World War.'" He discussed fully the prices of different commodities.

Society

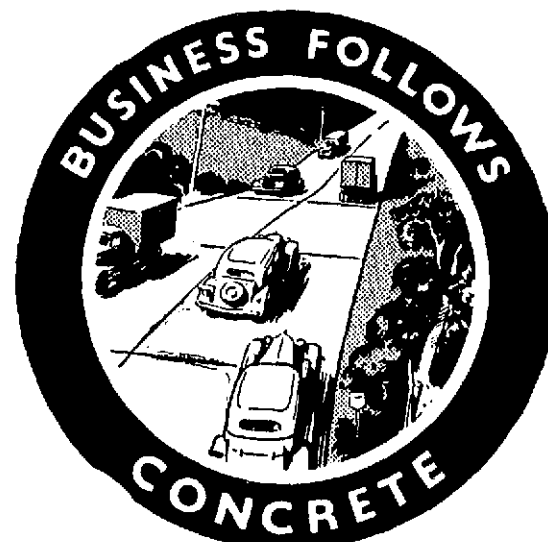
Mrs. Inon Gee is spending a few few days in Little Rock as the guest of her daughter.

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MR. W. C. TAYLOR

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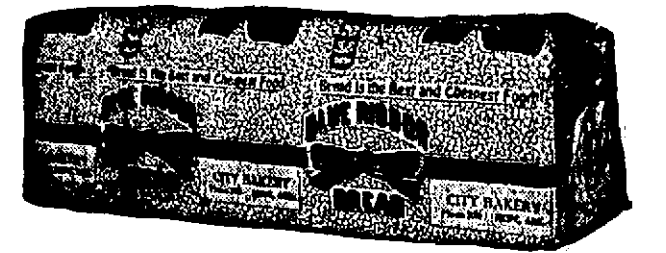
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